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Eight Five-Men Teams to Roll on Orpheum Alleys-Must Report Promptly.

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Everything is set for the first annual tournament of the South Bend Bowling association, which event begins this evening at 8 o'clock at the Orpheum bowling alleys. Every detail has been looked after for the benefit of the bowlers by the committee in charge, and from 8 o'clock this evening on everything will be up to the bowlers to establish records.

Every effort has been made in arranging the schedule to meet special requests from every participant, from which no deviation can be made now except in the event an exchange can be arranged between the players themselves and such arrangements must be reported to John V. Casmier, secretary of the tournament, one day in advance on which such events are scheduled.

Must Report Promptly. Notice is hereby served on bowlers that they must report promptly on the hour they are assigned. In the event they do not they will be obliged to forfeit the right of competition. The all-event is a special feature in which entries must be made with the secretary of the tournament before beginning any contest. For this event the prize committee will issue three medals, gold, silver and bronze, emblematic of respective championship winners.

Attempt was made to arrange for several all-star nights during the course of the tournament, However, this was found to be impossible because of the many high class bowlers developed during the current season. This class of bowlers will add considerable interest to the several events. In the past local competition was confined to members of a couple of teams with the rest just given an outside chance to cop one of the big plums. But in this tournament there are so many teams of the five and two men variety, as well as individuals, which

makes it a big open field. Bowlers Have Vacation.

Not one of the many leagues operating throughout the city have a schedule in force during the curzent week, an unusual precedent and mighty few of them will take up their burden next week. This will leave a dearth in certain quarters, especially among those who which closed its fall season last are not entered in the big tourna- week, have some very fine individual ment, for there are a good many averages to show for their efforts, LATUN teams and players in the city who nine of the players finishing above are on the outside looking in, all of the 180 mark. Harvey Hager, capthem undoubtedly rue the fine sport tain of the Eagles, leads the way the rest of the gang are indulging with better than 188, Boinski of the

fall season during the past week, Eagles with 184. Three of the but none of them resulted in any Eagles players, Hager, Morrison serious surprises. In the Post Office and Schmidt, are in the first five league the Money Orders jumped high average men of the league, ic association was perfected at a my real drawing card in years gone out in front early in the season and which is responsible of the team's meeting held Sunday afternoon in the by, and there is no way that I can were never headed. The same con- standing. The averages of the first offices of Mayor David H. McGill, show my gratefulness better than to dition prevailed in the Printers 10 bowlers of the United league are when plans were outlined to incor- pay him his big salary as long as league, where the News-Times boys added some interest in the closing weeks by pressing their neighbors bard. The Neutral league was a foregone conclusion for the Senators and every other position was settled early except the cellur, which fell to the National Grocers on the final night.

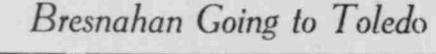
While the Eagles carried away the plum with plenty to spare in the United league, a spirited contest was started for the minor positions in mid-season, which prevailed during the closing weeks, Jimmy & Goats nosing out the Kochier & Schafers in the last two weeks. The United will begin their spring season within two weeks with the same compliment of teams.

Others Have Tournaments.

Although the big city tournament overshadows all other events there are several other tournaments in force during the vacation period. All of the clubs in the two Studebaker leagues are involved in contests at the Studebaker club during the present week, in which five-mer and two-men teams will take part. An invitation meet was scheduled for the Elks' temple between C. A. club and Elks league teams, but this has been postponed for one

There is always something new under the sun and in bowling there are no exceptions. At the Bardeen alleys a "head-pin" tournament i scheduled to run a week. The writer never having taken part in nor seen one in operation can furnish little information. However, it is billed and Mr. Bardeen invites every bowler in the city to take part, making no restrictions as to eligibility. United Leaguers Show Splendid

Averages. Bowlers in the United leagle, Three F's 16





When all the details of the baseball peace have been arranged it is probable that Roger Bresnahan, manager of the Chicago Cubs, will be back in the minor leagues. It is said that Roger is slated for the managership of a team in Toledo, for which a franchise will be provided. Bresnahan has a contract for two more years with the Cubs and it is un-

derstood that his contract will be paid in full. There has been no American Association team in Toledo for the past two years, since the time Charley Somers removed the franchise to Cleveland. Toledo is Bresnahan's home town and he is extremely popular there and a team with him as manager should be a paying proposi-

Jimmy & Goats second, two points Four more leagues closed their behind, and H. C. Morrison of the

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Noxalls

LAPORTE, Dec. 27.—Preliminary organization of a baseball and athlet- world series money. He has been porate an association with \$10,000 he wants to play ball, capital for the buying of grounds, "How much longer do you think the construction of a grand stand, that will be?" club houses, etc., on the outskirts of "I hope it will be 10 years longer," the city. Mayor McGill was elected answered Barney. temporary president of the associa- "What do you expect Honus to do tion, and a campaign for the sale of in 1916? He's getting pretty old stock will be made within the next now. He's 42," said the cub, 10 days. L. S. Prince, manager of "Yes, that's right; he's 42," anthe Laporte Beavers, will have swered Barney, "and because he's charge of the team. It is the plan that old I don't expect he'll steal amusement park which will provide But you never can tell about that tennis courts, bicycle and mctorcy- fellow." cle track, ball field, and a skating park in the winter. Independent ball will be played, though a proposition to enter a league might be consid-

ONLY TWO MEN SHOW UP Others Are Not Anxious For Long

Hike in Snow.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. - Take off league magnates he has called for your fur caps to John Campbell Wednesday. The conference is to and Albert Parker. They were the clear up the financial distress suronly two members of the Wunder- rounding the Cleveland club. Mr. 78 ust club who showed up Sunday and Johnson said today that now that 9 they hiked to Elgin, Ill., 50.4 miles the Federal league ghost is laid through the snow in 8:01:35.

TWO MEN SIGNED. DENVER, Dec. 27.—Billy Wagner of Chicago, brother of Charlie White, BILLIARD PLAYER IS HUHT 29 and Matty Smith of Racine tonight 22 signed to box 20 rounds at Colorado Springs, Dec. 30.

MIDGETS TO MEET. CHICAGO, Dec. 27.-Frank Izzo, will box eight rounds with Jimms Murphy at St. Louis on New Year's

Read NEWS-TIMES Want Ads be operated on this week.

IS HANS WAGNER

Declares Pirate Takes Lead Because He Always Tries Year in and Year Out, Never Shirking.

By Frank G. Menke.

"Whenever I want to see the greatest ball player I go out to Carnegie, Pa.," remarked Barney Dreyfuss, during the recent peace powwow in New York.

"Carnegie! Carnegie! What's in

"That's the place that has the the town, you know, where Honus tobacco Wagner lives." "Oh!" exclaimed the cub.

Honus said:

fair to you that my salary should be too strenuous for a tamed Indian good money for this fight. reduced. I am not as good as I was, and he quit baseballing. I'm only a has-been now and I'm cheating you when I draw down my big salary every month."

known that three or four years ago McGoorty and Les Darcy in Sydney, he signed a contract with Wagner Australia, the Antipodean phenom. that called for a salary of \$10,000 a has been called off. year and that the contract was unlimited as to time. It really put it

this he was to get \$10,000 a year. he asked you to cut his salary?" quizzed the cub.

salary. But I didn't-and I won't, fellow?-Tulsa, Okla., World. As long as Wagner plays with the Pirates he'll get the salary he has been getting for the past few years -the highest he has ever received. And Wagner can stay with my club as long as he wants.

"The grand old Dutchman has made money for me in years gone by. He has helped to win pennants and helped to get me a share of the

of the association to construct an more than 60 bases or hit above ,390.

BAN GOES TO CLEVELAND

Hopes to Clear Up Financial Distress Surrounding Club,

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Pres't Ban Johnson of the American league, will leave for Cleveland tonight to attend the special meeting of the away, it ought to be easy to satisfy Charles Somers creditors and keep him in charge of the club.

John Moore Falls on Ice and Breaks Knee Cap.

BEAUTIFUL TRICK BUT IT FAILED TO WORK FULTON TO HAVE Indian Introduces Potato Into Game But Third Sacker Was

Legg was a full-blooded Indian person who busted into professional performed infield chores for the Decatur, Ill., team, but always cher-

as a catcher. His chance to do backstopping duty came during a game staged in Lafayette, Ind.. When Pain-in-thehe gathered unto himself the first baseman on the team-Lotz by conversation with him

In due course of time the game

Pain-in-the-Stomach caught it and the day from New York. Not until "There have been other great ball then threw to first, seemingly in an Jones picked up a morning paper players," continued Barney, "and attempt to catch the runner nap- did he discover that New Orleans the state. Baseball writers prothere are some great ones now, but ping. The throw was high and the was talking about substituting claimed them the peer of the state I always will feel that Wagner was ball-or what seemed like the ball Frank Moran for Fulton on the butside the big league circles.

fear that he would get excited dur- ed over the first baseman's head in where the contest takes place. g a crucial series and do things the hope that the runner would be "You can put it down in black that would result in his being sus- deceived and do just as he was do- and white that Fulton is the first eral of the members of the basketpended for a week or two-suspend-ing. The aborigine held the ball in man that Willard will fight," de-ball team, now on the tour of the ed just at a time when we needed his gloved hand until the runner clared Jones. "We have signed arti- south, among whom are star athwas half way to third—and then he cles with him and posted forfeits letes of other states. "We always can count on Wagner hurled it at the third baseman.

or disabled. We always can depend it was-but Pain-in-the-Stomach trouble and are due this much conupon him; always knew he would had failed to take the third baseman sideration. be with us when we needed him, into his confidence and the third And so, because of this greatest baseman was intently watching the match there are other spots that virtue of all, and because of his pursuit of the potato. Therefore, in- are hankering for it, so we should terrific hitting, his great fielding, stead of catching the ball in his running and throwing, I believe that hands, and tagging out the runner, Tommy Burns is the party who is Wagner always should rank as the the third sacker, much to his sur- causing all the trouble. He breaks greatest player the game has pro- prise and anguish, caught the ball away from Tortorich and then gets in the pit of his stomach.

"Wagner," continued Barney, "is hile the man with the pain in the water all the time, the most conscientious player I ever | comach pursued the man named Carnegie to visit him. We talked the man with the pain in the stom-

CALL OFF BOUT.

Barney didn't say so, but it is scheduled Sunday between Eddie I am awaiting his reply." TO MEET ABEL.

southern welterweight champion, in Juarez to a finish. "What did you say to Honus when | Wednesday, in an eight-round bout,

FIRST CHANCE TO WIN RING HONOR

aseball back in the late 80's. He Willard's Manager Insists That Jess Will Keep Agreement-Looking For Club ished the hope of blossoming forth to Handle Affair.

By Sam P. Hall, CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- Fred Fulton name-and held a long, whispered is going to get the first match with

Tom Jones and the heavy weight started with the Indian behind the champion both told us so Sunday bat. The Lafayette team got a man night. If New Orleans does not athy at Kirksville, where he is preon first and then it was noticed that want them there are other places Pain-in-the-Tummy extracted some- tha do. One of the other localities thing from the rear pocket of his will get it, too, if Promoters Torjeans. But no one paid much atten- torich and Burns insist on running bunch, which included a number of tion to it at the moment as it was out of their agreement to stage this former professional and amateur spikes," answered Barney. "That's figured he was pulling out a plug of pair of big fellows in a 20-round

(Mardi Gras heavy weight bill. This Ferguson has had much experhit, throw, field and run with the The runner raced for second and stirred the wrath of Thomas Edbest of them. Other players maybe then hustled on toward third when ward, who immediately got in touch were a little better on the whole he saw that the right fielder hadn't with Mike Collins, Fulton's guiding the New York and Boston teams of average, but one thing you must re- recovered the "ball." But it wasn't hand, and informed him that Will- the National league, Louisville of the member-Wagner was out there try- a baseball, Oscar, it was a potato and positively would give Fulton the American association, South Bend in ing day after day. We never had to that Pain-in-the-Stomach had heav- first whack at the title, no matter the Central league and Los Angeles

and will keep our word. Collins and playing 154 games a year unless sick A brilliant trick, you say! Sure, Fulton have gone to a whole lot of

> "If New Orleans passes up the worry about Tortorich and Burns. back in the fold with him so often The game paused quite suddenly that he is keeping their club in hot

"You know Milwaukee has offered knew. Last winter I went down to "Pain-in-the-Stomach," and when \$25,000 for 10 rounds between this pair. That proposition looks good in generalities for a while, and then ach finished "lecturing" the man to Willard and me in case the New named Pain-In-the-Stomach, the lat- Orleans deal falls through. I know "Say, Barney, I think it is only ter decided that baseball was a bit of two other places that will pay

"I have wired Tortorich and told him to take the match or leave it; that we are going to box Fulton first = CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- The fight and will go elsewhere if necessary.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 27.-Following Tommy Burns' announcement that he would cancel the contract for Fred Fulton and Jess Wilup to Wagner that he could play for CHICAGO, Dec. 27. - Mickey lard to fight in New Orleans, local the Pirates as long as he felt he was Sheridan will leave tonight for Chat- fight promoters have started a able to deliver the "goods," and for tanooga, Tenn., to meet Jake Abel, movement to have the fight fought ;

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 27 .-A Chicago reformer says, "Flirt- "We signed Jess Willard for a 20-"I told him he must be suffering ing is the highest type of love," round championship march. He from indigestion. But Honus was Maybe it is, when with him, but what agreed to meet any white heavyserious. He insisted that I cut his is it when it's his girl with another weight selected as the favorite of sport writers of the country. Fred

and we therefore have resolved to offer the match to Frank Moran, who seems the popular "chic." This vas the statement given out last ight by promoters, Dominick J ortorich and Tommy Burns, who old Jess Willard's contract for a championship match here March 4.

FERGUSON IS COACHING COLLEGE BALL TEAM

Former Central Leaguer is Considered Among the Best in Missouri,

FULTON, Mo., Dec. 27 .- The big

way in collegiate circles of Missouri, is C. B. Ferguson, who began his career on the sand lots of Terre Haute, Ind., and later pitched for Purdue university at Lafayette and Well, the pitcher heaved the ball, Jones and Willard got in early in ule. Several university and college

TWENTIETH CENTURY COYNESS.

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"Well, I'll wait till somebody

wants to kiss me," she said: "when they do, I'll give up cigarets-and | take to a pipe!"-Margaret Deland in the Woman's Home Companion.

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Magee is Slated For the Yanks

Lee Magee, former manager and player of the Brooklyn Federal league club last season, will verylikely become a member of the New York Yankees. Capt. T. G. Huston, half owner of the Yanks, upon his CHICAGO, Dec. 27 .- A substitute return from Cincinnati assured that Magee would be seen next season player will be secured in the Inter- with the New York American league club. state three-cushion league for John | Capt Huston is said to have the promise of Ban Johnson, presi-

afternoon in New Orleans at 111 Moore, who fell on the ice here dent of the American league, August Hermann and Harry Fr Sinclair Christmas day and broke his knee that Magee will be awarded to him. The Yankees are also after several cap in several places. Moore will other Federal stars. If secured, Magee will play either second base

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